IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

DAN SCHANTZ FARM & GREENHOUSES,

LLC, : Docket No.

Plaintiff, : 5:17-cv-00403-JLS

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v. : **JURY DEMAND**

DAVID J. CATANZARO,

Defendant.

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PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO STRIKE

DEFENDANT'S RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO DISMISS PLAINTIFF'S FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT

AND

<u>DEFENDANT'S RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR DISCIPLINARY</u>

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(f) and this Court's Policies and Procedures, namely Section II(C)(2), Plaintiff Dan Schantz Farm & Greenhouses ("DSF&G") respectfully moves to strike <u>Defendant's Response in Opposition to Plaintiff's Response in Opposition to Defendant's Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint</u> (Doc. 21) and <u>Defendant's Response in Opposition to Plaintiff's Response in Opposition to Defendant's Motion for Disciplinary Action</u> (Doc. 22) as redundant and merely repetitive of arguments made in Defendant's briefs in support of its underlying Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint (Doc. 16) and Motion for Disciplinary Action (Doc. 17).

Defendant's submissions are effectively reply briefs in support of his motions, which the parties have thoroughly briefed. These reply briefs duplicate the exhibits presented with the motions and restate the substance of Defendant's original briefs in support of the motions before

the Court. For these reasons, Defendant's motions serve merely to detract from the focus and procedural economy of the matters addressed.

Defendant's reply briefs should be stricken.

Respectfully Submitted,

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